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Title:

AN INTEGRATED CIRCUIT HAVING A THIN FILM RESISTOR LOCATED

WITHIN A MULTILEVELDIELECTRIC BETWEEN AN UPPER AND LOWER

METAL INTERCONNECT LAYER

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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